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Highway Needs and Financing Interim Committee to Meet

PIERRE - The Highway Needs and Financing Interim Committee will meet on November 6 & 7, in Pierre. The meeting will be held in Room 413 of the State Capitol, beginning at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday and 8:15 a.m. on Friday.

This two-day meeting of the Highway Needs and Financing Interim Committee, chaired by Senator Mike Vehle, is the final meeting for this interim study committee. The committee will hear reports and updates from the Department of Public Safety, the Department of Revenue, and the Department of Transportation. Drafts of several pieces of legislation concerning finance alternatives, revenue distribution, and planning and reporting requirements will be discussed. The committee may adopt any or all of these proposed bill drafts for submission to the Executive Board.

The public is welcome to attend and public testimony will be heard both days. The full agenda can be found on the Legislative Research Council website: <http://legis.sd.gov/>.

The Highway Needs and Financing Interim Committee members include Senator Mike Vehle (Chair, R-Mitchell), Representative Mary Duvall (Vice-Chair, R-Pierre), Senators Bob Ewing (R-Spearfish), Jean Hunhoff (R-Yankton), David Omdahl (R-Sioux Falls), Larry Tidemann (R-Brookings), Chuck Welke (D-Warner), Jim White (R-Huron), and Representatives David Anderson (R-Hudson), Gary Cammack (R-Union Center), Scott Parsley (D-Madison), Jim Peterson (R-Revillo), Jim Schaefer (R-Kennebec), Mike Verchio (R-Hill City), Dick Werner (R-Huron).

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